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FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

TO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT IMMEDIATE

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4321

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BEIRUT FOR RSS AND CO CO"B"

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E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE CONFERENCE

REF: BEIRUT 12789

WE ARE SURPRISED AT ONE OF PARTS OF REFTEL SUGGESTING THIS EMBASSY IS MAKING SERIOUS SECURITY RECOMMENDATIONS IN CAPRICIOUS OR THOUGHTLESS MANNER. PERHAPS PROBLEM LIES WITH GAP IN COMMUNICATIONS AND FOLLOWING IS DESIGNED TO HANDLE THIS. WE WANT TO EMPHASIZE, HOWEVER, THAT ALL ASPECTS OF SECURITY AT POST ARE CONTINUALLY DISCUSSED BY APPROPRIATE SENIOR MISSION ELEMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FLOW FROM THIS SYSTEMATIC PROCEDURE. WE FIND IT SURPRISING AND REGRETABLE TO HAVE TO STATE THE OBVIOUS:

(1) NOTED. NO MSGS PRESENTLY ON LEAVE. RSO INSTRUCTED NOCIC TO HAVE MSG WESSELL RETURN TO DUTY. POST BECAME AWARE OF CONFERENCE SECURITY REQUIREMENT ONLY ON OCTOBER 23, 1974, UPON RECEIPT OF STATE 232353.

(2) MAJOR RECONSTRUCTION OF AIR CONDITIONING UNIT PROJECT HAD BEEN APPROVED BY WASHINGTON SINCE EARLY 1973. DELAYED DUE TO WAR OCTOBER 1973. POST  
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WAS AND IS KEEPING CONSEC REQUESTS TO

BARE MINIMUM. FACTS OF SITUATION REQUIRED POST TO REQUEST TWO ADDITIONAL CONSECS FROM WASHINGTON. THEY HAVE NOTARRIVED AS YET. MSGS ASSISTING IN ESCORTING.

(3) RSO FULLY AWARE THAT CONSECS NOT REQUIRED FOR ESCORTING AT DAY GATE.

(4) NOTED.

(5) NOTED.

(6) A) NOTED. ROVING PATROL PRESENTLY IS BEING USED FOR ESCORTS THEREFORE POST 2 HAS BEEN GENERALLY DISCONTINUED DUE TO BEING USED FOR AIR CONDITIONING ESCORTS.

B) MSG POST 3, WAS POSITIONED AT B-1 LEVEL OF CHANCERY TO CONTROL ACCESS TO BACK AND REAR OF CHANCERY AS PART OF ANIT-TERRORIST PACKAGE. B-1 LEVEL HAS APO, GARAGE, GSO MAINTENANCE, RESTAURANT AND COMMISSARY. IMPOSSIBLE TO SEAL ENTRY OF COMMISSARY FROM OTHER PARTSO BUILDING. ONCE ANY VISITORS FOR ANY REASON, GAIN ACCESS TO B-1 LEVEL OF CHANCERY, THEY HAVE ACCESS TO ALL FLOORS. TWO ACCESS DOORS ARE LOCATED ON B-1 CHANCERY. COMMISSARY PATRONS HAVE TO GO DOWN STAIRWELL TO B-2 LEVEL AND HAVE FULL ACCESS TO TWO ELEVATORS, NONE OF WHICH AREIN VIEW OF MSG POST 1 OR POST 3. PROBLEMS OF COMMISSARY IN BASEMENT WILL BE RESOLVED BY ITS LOCATION IN FUTURE IN WAREHOUSE AREA, HERZYLIA.

(7). NOTED.

(8) CPL. LYSNE WILL DEPART ON TWA 810, 1650, 25 OCT. PLAN WILL BE SUBMITTED IN SEPTTEL. KEATING

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